The Ninth Annual
Euclid High Schools

Sports Hall of Fame

Dinner and Induction Ceremonies

Thursday, October 12, 1995
The Manor, Euclid, Ohio

WELCOME

We welcome you to the Ninth Annual Banquet and Induction Ceremonies of the Euclid High Schools Sports Hall of Fame.

The schools represented are Central, Shore, Euclid Senior, and Euclid High Schools. Between the years of 1924 and 1985, these schools fielded over 615 varsity teams with about 9,400 men and women athletes competing.

Once again, this year's group is a distinguished class of inductees. As high schoolers, our eight athletes achieved 10 All-Conference awards, five All-District, five Greater Cleveland All-Scholastic and three All-State Honors.

On the college level our inductees were named to four All-Conference teams. Three experienced international competition and one played professional baseball.

We are proud of our eight athletes and coach inductees. They have led successful lives and are a credit to the Euclid School system.

1995 EUCLID HIGH SCHOOLS SPORTS HALL OF FAME INDUCTEES

John Telich, Sr.	**Shore '43**
Stan Kollar	**Shore '46**
Mike Papouras	**Euclid '54**
Ernie Christoff	**Euclid '55**
Tom Davis	**Euclid '61**
Bill Attamante	**Euclid '62**
Jan Slejko	**Euclid '79**
Bob Daugherty	**Euclid '83**
Vick Resch	**Coach**

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PROGRAM

6:00 SOCIAL HOUR

7:00 WELCOME & INVOCATION .....Mike Papouras
Chairman

DINNER

8:00 INTRODUCTIONS & REMARKS
Dr. Kurt Stanic - *Superintendent of Schools*
Bob Knuth - *Principal, Euclid High School*
David Lynch - *Mayor, City of Euclid*

INDUCTION .....John Telich, Jr.
Master of Ceremonies

CLOSING REMARKS

BENEDICTION

EUCLID SPORTS HALL OF FAME MEMBERS

Bob Addis	Coach
Don Anzells	'48
Rocco Apicello	'41
Bill Attamante	'62
Frank "Bing" Bergoch	'43
Barb Bernlohr	'66
Chuck Booms	'74
Jeff Booms	'69
Rick Brown	'68
Jim Calvert	Coach
Ford Case	Coach
Ernie Christoff	'55
Bob Coode	'65
Bill Crawford	'45
Rich Creveling	'64
Joe Curto	'40
Frank D'Arcy	'46
Tom Davis	'61
Bob Daugherty	'83
Dan Debevc	'77
Sam DiSantis	'25
Dennis Donahue	'59
Herschel "Ike" Driver	Honorary
Bob Drobnick	'48
Clarence Eckert	Coach
Byron "Bar" Fondran	'48
Dick Fox	'49
Rich Frey	'74
Ian Glass	'70
Phil Gutmann	'50
John Habat	Coach
Ruth Haberacker Sadler	'45
Scott Harmon	'79
Bob Hawley	'45
Ed Heglaw	'39
Bob Henikman	'67
Chuck Hill	'47
Mary Hill Czyzycki	'49
Ralph Hill	Honorary
Rollie Hudec	'63
Stan Intihar	'52
Frank Joranko	'48
Bill Kerslake	'47
Cliff Kirchner	'78
Harry Knuth	'22
Stan Kollar	'46
John Korencic	'27
Weldon Kytle	'60
Fred "Babe" Lipovec	'41
John Lonchar	'70
Bob Marich	'50
Mark Marion	'57
George "Mike" Marsh	Honorary
Milton "Doc" Marten	Honorary
Crayton Mast	'47
Joe Mayer	'47
Paul McFadden	'79
Bill McGuinness	Honorary

EUCLID SPORTS HALL OF FAME MEMBERS

Don McLean	'47	John Schael	'62
Fred McLean	'48	Paul Schonauer	'71
Don Mohr	Coach	Walt Schwegler	Coach
Frank Montana	'39	Paul Serra	'56
Graham Mower	'37	Carrie Shuster Harrell	'79
Tom Murphy	'63	Kenneth Sims	Honorary
Neal Nelson	'43	Joe Sintic	'29
Kathy Newton	'46	Frank Skeya	'40
Frank Nimmo	'53	Jan Slejko	'79
Herb Nold	Coach	Pat Smith	'61
Larry Nosse	'57	Dan Stevenson	'61
Joe Nossek	'58	Ed Stoch	'41
Jack Obert	'47	Tom Stupica	'71
Ed Orazen	'61	Jack Subel	Honorary
Mike Orazen	'63	Ed Sullivan	'46
Paul Pallante	'83	Clarence Swackhamer	Coach
Mike Papouras	'54	John Telich, Jr.	Honorary
Bob Paz	'58	John Telich, Sr.	'43
Manuel "T" Paz	'53	Ben Test	'27
John Pohto	Coach	Dale "Tommy" Thompson	Coach
Harold "Berke" Reichenbach	'63	Anthony Vaccariello	Honorary
Vic Resch	Coach	Don Vicic	'53
Harvey Riebe	'39	Al Vilcheck	'68
Mel Riebe	'36	Orlow Wertenberger	'57
Chet Rojeck	'45	Joe Whalen	'33
Wayne Rositano	'59	Debbie Williams	'78
Ken Ross	'58	Dawn Woodruff Nichols	'78
Al Russ	'69	Bill Yanchar	'66
Lenny Sadosky	'29	Rich "Chickee" Yonakor	'76

1994 Hall Of Fame

The eight athletes in this group compiled 13 All-Conference awards and eight All-District honors. Eight made Greater Cleveland All-Scholastic and eight were State Champions and one High School All-American.

As Collegians, four were All-Conference selections and two were named All-American. One went into the professional ranks.

Ruth Haberacker Sadler	1945
Chet Rojeck	1945
Chuck Hill	1947
Phil Gutmann	1950
Rollie Hudec	1963
Bob Henikman	1967
Chuck Booms	1974
Paul Pallante	1983

COACH
John Habat

1993 Hall of Fame

The eight athletes in this group compiled 13 All-Conference awards and six All-district honors. Three made Greater Cleveland All-Scholastic and four were State Champions.

As collegians, seven were All-Conference selections and one was named Academic All-American. Three went into the professional ranks.

Joe Mayer	1947
Ken Ross	1958
Weldon Kytle	1960
Mike Orazen	1963
Bill Yanchar	1966
Rich Frey	1974
Paul McFadden	1979
Carrie Shuster Harrell	1979

COACH
John Pohto

HONORARY
Bill McGuinness

1992 HALL OF FAME

The seven athletes in this group compiled high school records which included eight All-Conference, seven All-District, five Greater Cleveland All-Scholastic and five All-State award winners. As collegians, these inductees earned seven All-Conference and two All-American honors. Two inductees played in the professional ranks.

John Korencic	1927
Fred McLean	1948
Mary Hill Czyzycki	1949
Paul Serra	1956
Dennis Donahue	1959
Dan Debevc	1977
Cliff Kirchner	1976

COACH
Bob Addis

HONORARY
John Telich, Jr.

1991 HALL OF FAME

The 12 athletes in this group compiled a record of 18 All-Conference and 19 All-District choices. Seven made Greater Cleveland All-Scholastic and 10 were named All-Ohio.

As collegians, 12 were All-Conference selections and three were named All-Americans. One went into the professional ranks.

Harry Knuth	1922	Orlow Wertenberger	1957
Joe Whalen	1933	Bob Paz	1958
Frank D'Arcy	1946	Barb Bernlohr	1966
Kathy Newton	1946	Al Russ	1969
Ed Sullivan	1946	Paul Schonauer	1971
Mark Marion	1957	Scott Harmon	1979

COACH
Clarence Swackhamer

HONORARY
Milton "Doc" Marten

1990 HALL OF FAME

The 11 athletes in this group compiled a high school total of 16 All-Conference selections, four Greater Cleveland All-Scholastic choices, seven All-District winners and nine All-Ohio nominations.

As collegians these athletes earned seven All-Conference honors and two were named to All-American teams. Three played in the professional ranks.

Ben Test	1927	John Michael Schael	1962
Edward S. Heglaw	1939	Bob Coode	1965
Bill Crawford	1945	Jeff Booms	1969
Bob Hawley	1945	Rich "Chickee" Yonakor	1976
Dick Fox	1949	Dawn (Woodruff) Nichols	1978
Pat Smith	1957		

COACH
Herb Nold

HONORARY
Ralph Hill

1989 HALL OF FAME

The nine athletes in this group compiled a high school total of 30 All-Conference selections, nine to Greater Cleveland All-Scholastic choices and All-state winners. As collegians, these athletes earned numerous All-Conference honors and one was named to an All-American team.

Sam Disantis	1925	Frank Nimmo	1953
Joe Curto	1940	Dan Stevenson	1961
Rocco Apicello	1941	Rich Creveling	1964
Jack Obert	1947	John Lonchar	1970
Bob Drobnick	1948		

COACHES
Jim Calvert
Don Mohr

HONORARY
Tony Vaccariello

1988 HALL OF FAME

The 16 athletes in this group compiled a high school record of 36 All-Conference selections, 13 Greater Cleveland All Scholastic choices, 11 All-State winners. As collegians these athletes earned nine All-Conference, three All-State and one All-American Honors.

Altogether there are six professional athletes and one U.S. Olympian.

Mel Riebe	1936	Frank Joranko	1948
Graham L. Mower	1937	Don Manuel "T" Paz	1957
Harv Riebe	1938	Larry Nosse	1957
Ed Stoch	1941	Wayne A. Rositano	1959
Frank "Bing" Bergoch	1943	Al Vilcheck	1968
Don K. Mclean	1947	Rick Brown	1968
Don Anzells	1948	Tom Stupica	1971
Byron "Bar" Fondran	1948	Debbie Williams	1978

COACHES

Ford L. Case
Dale "Tommy" Thompson

HONORARY

H. W. "Ike" Driver
Jack W. Subel

1987 HALL OF FAME

The 16 athletes in this group compiled a high school record of 28 All-Conference selections, 20 Greater Cleveland All-Scholastic choices and 13 All-State winners. As collegians these athletes earned 15 All-Conference, two All-State and five All-American honors. In the group there are seven professional athletes, one U.S. Olympian and one world champion.

Lenny Sadosky	1929	Bob Marich	1950
Joe Sintic	1929	Stan Intihar	1952
Frank Montana	1939	Don Vicic	1953
Frank Skeya	1940	Joe Nossek	1958
"Babe" Lipovic	1941	Ed Orazen	1961
Neal Nelson	1943	Tom Murphy	1963
Bill Kerslake	1947	Berke Reichenbach	1963
Crayton Mast	1947	Ian Glass	1970

COACHES

Clarence Eckert
Walt Schwegler

HONORARY

Mike Marsh
Kenneth Sims

JOHN TELICH, SR.... Shore, 1943

John was a fine athlete at Shore. He earned three varsity letters in football, three in track and two in hockey. Despite being a hockey defenseman, he led the team in scoring his senior year. In track he was outstanding in the shot and discus.

At Western Reserve University, he played football and again was outstanding in track. **John** was Mid-American Conference discus champ for three years. He set field records at Kent, West Virginia and at Reserve. In 1949, he competed in the prestigious Penn Relays. He is a member of the Western Reserve Hall of Fame.

John has been a successful insurance salesman for many years and served as president of both the Cleveland and the Ohio Underwriters. He has also been active in our community as a member of Holy Cross Church, the rotary Club and the Jaycees, who named him as their Outstanding Citizen. The American Field Service gave him a Distinguished Service Award.

John served as a Navy flight mechanic in World War II.

John and his wife Janet still live in Euclid where they raised five children who have produced 12 grandchildren.

STAN KOLLAR... Shore, 1946

Stan enjoyed a fine athletic career at Shore, in the military service and at Baldwin-Wallace College.

At Shore, he was an all-around athlete, lettering in football, basketball and track. He served as co-captain in basketball and track. He led the basketball team in scoring in 1946 and was named All-Conference.

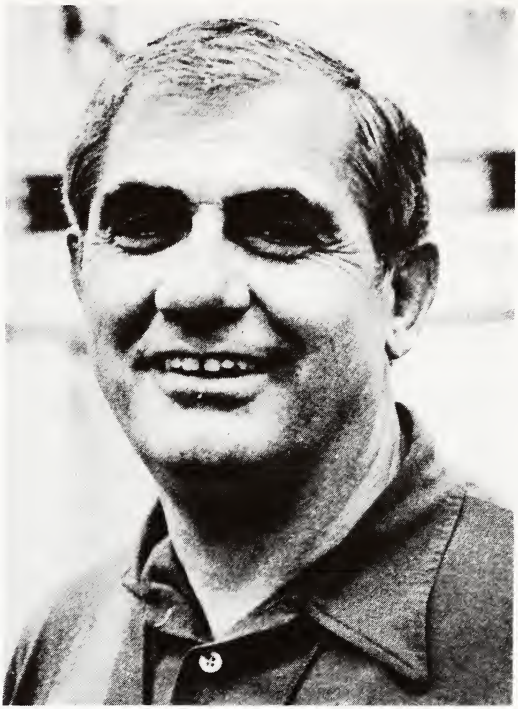
Stan entered the service and while stationed in Japan competed in three sports with the 11th Airborne Division.

He accepted a football scholarship to the University of Cincinnati, played one season and then transferred to Baldwin-Wallace College, where he earned three letters in track.

Stan returned to Shore Jr. High as a teacher in 1955. He coached football, basketball and track for several years and served as athletic director from 1967-82.

Currently, **Stan** owns and trains trotting horses.

MIKE PAPOURAS... Euclid Senior, 1954



In high school **Mike** played on the football, baseball and wrestling teams. He was 2nd team All-Conference in football.

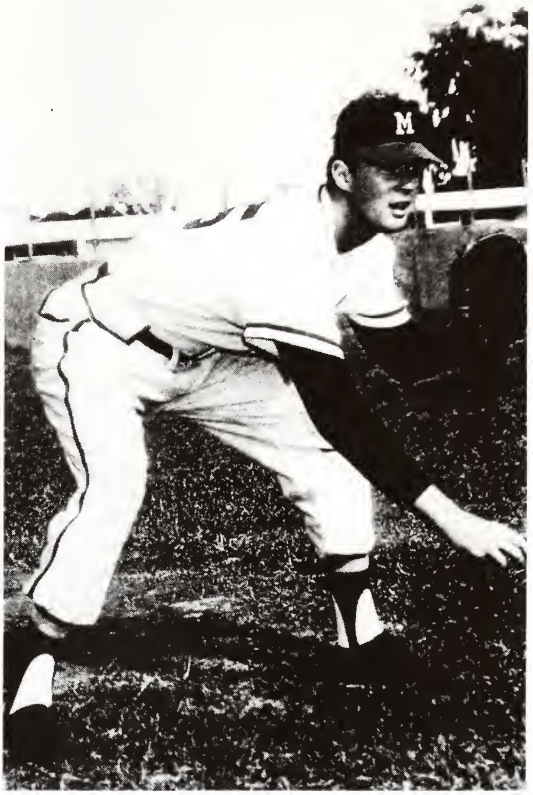
At Baldwin-Wallace College, **Mike** earned two letters in football and three in wrestling. He was co-captain of the wrestling team.

Mike truly made his mark as a coach of wrestling. He enjoyed an illustrious career spanning 23 years, during which he established a dual meet record of 211-78-4. His teams won four State Championships, were runners-up four times and placed third on two occasions. **Mike** coached 27 individual state champions, three of whom won three titles each. He is in the Baldwin-Wallace Hall of Fame, Richmond Heights Hall of Fame, Ohio State Wrestling Hall of Fame and was runner-up for National Coach of the Year in 1985.

He is retired from a successful coaching career at Richmond Heights High School, where he also served as athletic director for 19 years.

Mike lives in Euclid with his wife, Sia. They have two children, both of whom have graduated from Euclid High School.

ERNIE CHRISTOFF... Euclid Senior, 1955



Ernie was a fine basketball player and an outstanding baseball performer in high school. He was Greater Cleveland All-Scholastic in basketball for two years and All-Scholastic as a baseball pitcher for two years. He made All-Tournament and was captain of the Euclid basketball team which won the Lake Erie League championship in 1955.

After high school, **Ernie** signed a professional baseball contract with the Milwaukee Braves and was in spring training with them for a few years. He pitched in the minor leagues for several years and made the All-Star team in the Northern League in 1958. In 1959, he won a play-off game for Austin, Texas in the Pan-American Association.

Ernie is single and lives in California where he is sales manager for the I.O.F. Foresters.

TOM DAVIS... Euclid Senior, 1961

Tom was an outstanding track man and basketball player in high school under Hall of Fame coaches Dale Thompson and Jim Calvert, respectively. He held the long jump record for several years. In basketball, he made All-Lake Erie League and was a Regional All-Star in 1960 while serving as captain of the team.

At Ohio University, **Tom** was a three year basketball letterman. He played on two Mid-America Conference champion teams and went to the NCAA Regional Finals. In 1965, he made honorable mention All-Conference.

From 1967-70, **Tom** was a basketball player/coach in the Armed Services League in Hawaii. His team won championships twice, and **Tom** was named Outstanding Coach both years.

Between 1970-77 he played and coached professional basketball in Turkey. In 1975 he led the league in scoring, his team won the championship and he was named both coach and player of the year. His teams also played in the European Cup Games in Switzerland, Greece, Romania and Bulgaria.

Currently, **Tom** is Chairman of the English Department at Western Reserve Academy, where he also coaches basketball and girls' volleyball. During 1995-96, he will be on leave to spend a year to travel in South Africa, conducting basketball clinics and working with teachers and students at various schools.

BILL ATTAMANTE... Euclid Senior, 1962

Bill was a three-sport star in high school. He was the first varsity 9-letter winner in Euclid High School history. In football he made All-Lake Erie League, Greater Cleveland All-Scholastic, Cleveland Press All-Star and team captain his senior year. As a wrestler **Bill** was undefeated in dual meets as a senior, made All-Lake Erie League, was District Champion and placed 3rd in the State Finals. In track he was a school record holder in the shot put and quarter mile, ran a leg on a record-setting half-mile relay and was the shot put and 100-yard dash winner in the Lake Erie League and District meets.

He wrestled at Ohio University as a heavyweight, where he was Mid-America Conference champion in 1965, and was listed among the top 16 wrestlers in the nation with a 58-3 record.

Bill was a former wrestling coach at Euclid High School where he currently serves as the Work-Study Program Coordinator.

JAN SLEJKO... Euclid, 1979

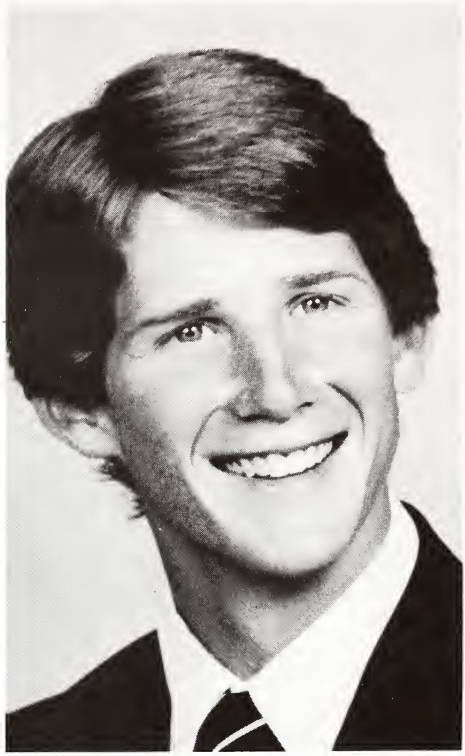
Jan starred in cross country, basketball and track for three years in high school. In cross-country **Jan** was a member of the Euclid team which won the State Championship in 1977. In basketball she earned honorable mention honors in All-Conference voting three years in a row. As a track star she was Greater Cleveland mile run champion in 1978 and 1979.

As a "walk-on" at Ohio State, **Jan** made the cross country team as a freshman and ran on the first women's team to compete in the Nationals held in Seattle, Washington.

After her college career, **Jan** ran in a number of marathon races, finishing 2nd in the Revco and 4th in the Columbus marathons. At Columbus she was the first American to finish, won $4000 and qualified for the Olympic trials. Unfortunately, an injury prevented her from competing at the Olympic trials. A highlight of her running career was a trip to England where she competed as one of America's top female runner.

Jan still resides in Euclid. She is employed as a security officer for Executive Caterers.

BOB DAUGHERTY... Euclid, 1983



Bob was an outstanding basketball guard at Euclid High School and at Harvard University.

At Euclid, **Bob** made All-Conference two years and was named Greater Cleveland All-Scholastic, All-District and All-News Herald. He was the District Most Valuable Player. He was team captain and the team MVP for two years. **Bob** holds the single season assist record, and he led the state of Ohio in assists his senior year.

At Harvard, **Bob** was a standout guard and played on the team that represented the United states in Cairo, Egypt, at the All-African Games in 1985.

While working in New York, he earned a Master's degree at Columbia University and as a graduate student at Cambridge University, **Bob** played basketball in England and Europe.

Combining work and study, **Bob** is a management consultant and working on his doctorate in economics at Cambridge.

VIC RESCH... Coach

Vic enjoyed a fine and varied high school career at Thomas Edison in Cleveland, He was an outstanding student/athlete, participated in numerous activities and was valedictorian of his class in 1950.

At Miami University, he was a member of the swimming team. While in military service, he was on a swim team which competed in Seoul, Korea, in 1956.

The faculty and students will always remember the contribution **Vic** made to Euclid High School. To quote Principal Jerry Bergem, "He was a fine gentleman, and he taught many young people how to swim." **Vic** was both a physical education teacher and an outstanding swimming coach. His swimming teams racked up impressive records from 1959-72. He served as director of intramurals from 1973 until his untimely death in 1981.

1995 EUCLID HIGH SCHOOLS SPORTS HALL OF FAME COMMITTEE

Mike Papouras, *Chairman*
Bob Addis
Harold Daugherty
Audree Fox
Chuck Hill
Mary Hill Czyzycki
Spencer Kane

EX-OFFICIO
Justin Antonini
Bob Knuth
Kurt Stanic

Joe Mayer
Don Mohr
Frank Montana
Roy Pignatiello
Walt Schwegler
Ed Stoch
Tom Stupica

EMERITUS
Jim Calvert
Bill McGuiness

STUDENT-ATHLETES

We are pleased to have the following current student-athletes from Euclid High School in attendance at our banquet as guests of the committee:

Allison FitzGerald	Volleyball, Basketball, Track
Angela Miklavcic	Volleyball, Basketball, Track
Joe Tucceri	Football, Wrestling, Baseball

Criteria for student/athlete:

1. Must have at least 2.0 grade average
2. Recommended by at least two coaches or athletic coordinator
3. Be an outstanding citizen and leader in the school

1995 PATRONS

Bob Coode
Frank D'Arcy
Mary McGuinness
Terry & Carrie Harrell
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Kenneth J. Sims, Jr.
Jan Slejko
Don Vicic

CATEGORIES AND QUALIFICATIONS FOR NOMINEES

There shall be three (3) categories of nominees eligible:

A. Athlete:

An athlete's class must have graduated at least ten (10) years prior to selection

B. Coach/Athletic Administrator:

1. A coach or athletic administrator must have served on the staff of Euclid Schools.
2. A coach or athletic administrator must have retired from his/her position or left the school.

C. Honorary:

An honorary nominee must have made a significant impact on the Euclid High Schools sports programs and would not otherwise qualify as an athlete or as a coach or athletic administrator.

D. Criteria:

1. Varsity level of competition (including Girls Athletic Club and Girls Athletic Association.
2. Leadership
3. Impact on athletic program
4. All Scholastic
5. All Ohio or State Champion
6. State or National record holder
7. All-Star teams
8. School record holder, etc.
9. Postgraduate image
10. Outstanding postgraduate sports achievements

Anyone interested in nominating a future Hall of Famer...

Please contact:

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SCHOLARSHIPS
Euclid Schools Foundation

We are pleased to announce that through the sports Hall of Fame the following scholarships have been established:

James Calvert
Paul Serra
Louse Zust Williams
Sports Hall of Fame Committee

All monies are administered by the Euclid Schools Foundation (which is a 501-3c "Charitable Organization"). If you would like to make such a charitable, tax-deductible donation in the name of any of the above, or some other person, make your check payable to:

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